National Service in New Jersey

Year in Review



MEETING NEEDS IN NEW JERSEY

Last year more than 5,600 Americans of all ages and backgrounds met local needs, strengthened communities, and expanded economic opportunity through national service in New Jersey. The Corporation for National and Community Service (CNCS) invested more than \$15.7 million to support cost-effective community solutions, working hand in hand with local partners to empower citizens to solve problems. AmeriCorps members and Senior Corps volunteers are preparing today's students for tomorrow's jobs, reducing crime and reviving cities, connecting veterans to services, fighting the opioid epidemic, helping seniors live independently, and rebuilding communities after disasters.

National service participants served at more than 600 locations across New Jersey, including schools, food banks, homeless shelters, health clinics, youth centers, veterans facilities, and other nonprofit and faith-based organizations. Through a unique public-private partnership, CNCS, its grantees, and project sponsors generated more than \$13.3 million in outside resources from businesses, foundations, public agencies, and other sources in FY 2017. This local support strengthened community impact and increased the return on taxpayer dollars.

AMERICORPS



Last year, more than 1,200 AmeriCorps members met pressing local needs across New Jersey, making a lasting impact in communities while gaining valuable skills and experience to advance their careers. AmeriCorps members serve through one of three programs:

- AmeriCorps State & National engages men and women
 in intensive service at thousands of locations across the
 country through nonprofits, schools, public agencies,
 tribes, and community and faith-based groups. Most
 AmeriCorps grant funding goes to the New Jersey
 Commission on National and Community Service, the
 Governor-appointed State Service Commission, which in
 turn awards grants to organizations to respond to local
 needs.
- AmeriCorps VISTA (Volunteers In Service To America)
 taps the skills, talents, and passion of Americans of all
 ages to support community efforts to overcome poverty.
- AmeriCorps NCCC (National Civilian Community Corps)
 is a full-time, team-based residential program for 18-24
 year-olds. Members develop leadership skills by serving
 in public safety, environment, and disaster projects.
 FEMA Corps, a unit of NCCC, focuses solely on disaster
 preparedness, response, and recovery.

In exchange for their service, AmeriCorps members earn a Segal AmeriCorps Education Award that can be used to pay for trade school, college, or graduate school; or to pay back qualified student loans. Since 1994, more than 25,000 New Jersey residents have served approximately 34 million hours and earned education awards totaling more than \$81.4 million.

SENIOR CORPS



Senior Corps taps the skills, talents, and experience of Americans age 55 and over to meet a wide range of community challenges. Last year, more than 4,400 New Jersey seniors met critical community needs while contributing to longer, healthier lives through one of three Senior Corps programs:

- Foster Grandparents serve one-on-one as tutors and mentors to young people with exceptional needs.
- Senior Companions help homebound seniors and other adults maintain independence primarily in their own homes.
- RSVP volunteers conduct safety patrols, renovate homes, protect the environment, tutor and mentor youth, respond to natural disasters, and provide other services.

Last year in New Jersey, Foster Grandparents tutored and mentored 530 young people, Senior Companions helped 0 seniors live independently, and RSVP volunteers strengthened the impact of 280 organizations across the state.

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Atlantic City	CCUSA New Americans Catholic Charities USA	AmeriCorps VISTA	1 1	\$5,775	\$16,654	1
Bridgeton	United Advocacy Group Inc. United Advocacy Group Inc.	AmeriCorps State		-	-	14
Camden	Catholic Charities, Diocese of Camden Catholic Charities USA	AmeriCorps National	1 1	\$5,775	\$11,312	1
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Camden	Center for Family Services, Inc. Center for Family Services	AmeriCorps VISTA	8 25	\$145,040	\$408,944	19
Camden	CFS Americorps State Center for Family Services	AmeriCorps State	7 22	\$60,256	\$139,087	13
Camden	JEVS TechServ Scholars JEVS Human Services	AmeriCorps National		-	-	3
Camden	Lourdes Health System Trinity Health	AmeriCorps National	1 3	\$17,190	-	-
Camden	Notre Dame AmeriCorps - Jesuit Volunteer Corps Notre Dame Mission Volunteers Program, Inc.	AmeriCorps National	1 1	\$5,775	\$9,674	1
Camden	Notre Dame AmeriCorps - SJWP Notre Dame Mission Volunteers Program, Inc.	AmeriCorps National	1 1	\$2,888	\$4,837	-
Camden	PowerCorps Camden Center for Family Services	AmeriCorps State	1 50	\$144,435	\$325,650	26
Camden	Rutgers University-Camden Jumpstart for Young Children, Inc.	AmeriCorps National	3 85	\$104,041	\$179,861	74
Camden	Siena College AmeriCorps*VISTA Fellows Program Siena College	AmeriCorps VISTA	1 1	\$1,231	\$3,413	-
Clayton	Literacy Interventions Golden Gate Inc.	AmeriCorps State	4 12	\$34,650	\$81,072	-
Clifton	Montclair State University Jumpstart for Young Children, Inc.	AmeriCorps National	3 70	\$85,632	\$148,120	69
Clifton	Montclair State University EECO Project Montclair State University	AmeriCorps State	5 27	\$147,563	\$350,011	16
Clifton	National Network for Arab American Communities National Network for Arab American Communities	AmeriCorps VISTA		-	-	1
Dover	Zufall Health AmeriCorps 2016-17 www.zufallhealth.org	AmeriCorps State	3 9	\$51,975	\$123,570	10
East Freehold	Colts Neck, NJ LOG R02-2570-NJ-LOG-LOG (April 3 - May 22, 2017) FEMA- NPSC- Coltsneck NJ	AmeriCorps NCCC	1 7	-	-	-
East Freehold	Colts Neck, NJ LOG R02-2656-NJ-LOG-LOG (June 8 - September 1, 2017) FEMA- NPSC- Coltsneck NJ	AmeriCorps NCCC	1 6	-	-	-
Elizabeth	Conservation Legacy Conservation Legacy	AmeriCorps VISTA	1 1	\$5,775	\$16,654	1
Elizabeth	IRC in New Jersey International Rescue Committee HQ	AmeriCorps National	1 1	\$5,775	-	1
Elizabeth	Kean University Jumpstart for Young Children, Inc.	AmeriCorps National	5 84	\$102,819	\$177,744	73



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Forked River	A Future with Hope (March 9 - April 21, 2017) A Future with Hope	AmeriCorps NCCC	1 10	-	-	-
Freehold	Monmouth County, HFH in Habitat for Humanity International, Inc.	AmeriCorps National	1 2	\$11,550	\$26,600	-
Hoboken	Cities of Service Prepared Together AmeriCorps VISTA Fund for Cities of Service Inc.	AmeriCorps VISTA		-	-	2
Jersey City	Cities of Service Prepared Together AmeriCorps VISTA Fund for Cities of Service Inc.	AmeriCorps VISTA		-	-	2
Jersey City	CWS New Jersey Church World Service	AmeriCorps National		-	-	1
Jersey City	Jersey City VISTA Program City of Jersey City	AmeriCorps VISTA	3 21	\$66,968	\$189,251	7
Jersey City	Northeast New Jersey Legal Services Equal Justice Works	AmeriCorps National	1 2	\$6,997	\$15,151	1
Jersey City	Northeast New Jersey Legal Services (Elder) Equal Justice Works	AmeriCorps National		-	-	2
Jersey City	Northeast New Jersey Legal Services Corporation Equal Justice Works	AmeriCorps National	1 2	\$6,997	\$14,537	1
Jersey City	Rising Tide Capital, Inc. Rising Tide Capital, Inc.	AmeriCorps VISTA	1 3	\$17,325	\$49,962	1
Lincroft	Colts Neck, NJ DSA R02-2498-NJ-DSA-DSA (January 11 - April 19, 2017) FEMA - Region 2 W MD	AmeriCorps NCCC	1 9	-	-	-
Lincroft	R02-2748-NJ-PAS-PAS Public Assistance Applications DR 4322 Colts Neck, NJ (July 27 - August 15, 2017) FEMA MA DR-4340-VI Hurricane Maria	AmeriCorps NCCC	1 6	-	-	-
Long Branch	Habitat for Humanity International Habitat for Humanity International-2012	AmeriCorps VISTA		-	-	1
Madison	Drew University II Drew University	AmeriCorps State	1 1	\$2,908	\$6,770	10
Merchantville	e Heart-to-Heart Comienzos East, Inc Heart-to-Heart Comienzos East, Inc	AmeriCorps VISTA	1 4	\$23,260	\$64,500	6
Milford	Trail Blazers Camps (June 10 - June 23, 2017) Trail Blazers	AmeriCorps NCCC	1 8	-	-	-
Morristown	Economic Mobility AmeriCorps VISTA Project United Way Worldwide	AmeriCorps VISTA		-	-	1
New Brunswick	FoodCorps, Inc. New Jersey FoodCorps, Inc.	AmeriCorps State	12 12	\$69,300	\$151,320	12
New Brunswick	NeighborWorks VISTA Program Neighborhood Reinvestment Corporation	AmeriCorps VISTA		-	-	1
New Brunswick	Public Allies New York Public Allies, Inc.	AmeriCorps National		-	-	1
Newark	Cities of Service Prepared Together AmeriCorps VISTA Fund for Cities of Service Inc.	AmeriCorps VISTA	1 2	\$11,630	\$32,250	2
Newark	Global Health Corps Global Health Corps	AmeriCorps VISTA	1 1	\$5,815	\$16,125	-



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Newark	Great Oaks - Newark MS Great Oaks Foundation Inc	AmeriCorps National	1	107	\$618,605	\$1,340,710	91
Newark	Jersey Cares Points of Light Foundation	AmeriCorps National	1	1	\$5,775	\$12,567	-
Newark	KIPP New Jersey AmeriCorps Resident Program TEAM Academy Charter Schools	AmeriCorps State	1	19	\$59,644	\$141,804	2
Newark	Newark Local Initiatives Support Corporation	AmeriCorps National	5	5	\$24,628	\$48,786	-
Newark	Notre Dame AmeriCorps - Jesuit Volunteer Corps Notre Dame Mission Volunteers Program, Inc.	AmeriCorps National	2	2	\$11,550	\$19,348	3
Newark	Playworks Newark/New York Playworks Education Energized	AmeriCorps National	8	8	\$41,953	\$90,662	8
Newark	Relay Grad. School of Education NJ Teaching Residency Relay Graduate School of Education	AmeriCorps State	12	49	\$283,175	\$16,965	67
Newark	Rutgers University-Newark Jumpstart for Young Children, Inc.	AmeriCorps National	4	11	\$13,444	\$23,276	11
Newark	SCA NJ Student Conservation Association, Inc.	AmeriCorps National	4	7	\$17,493	\$2,302	1
Newark	Teach For America - New Jersey Teach For America	AmeriCorps National	32	96	\$554,440	\$48,000	89
Newark	The College Bound Program Improvement Project NJ LEEP, Inc.	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	3	\$17,325	\$49,962	-
Newark	The Salvation Army AmeriCorps Education Program The Salvation Army	AmeriCorps State	3	31	\$78,635	\$176,002	18
Newark	URBAN LEAGUE OF ESSEX COUNTY URBAN LEAGUE OF ESSEX COUNTY	AmeriCorps State	1	11	\$51,975	\$123,570	9
Newark	YouthBuild Newark, NJ YouthBuild USA, Inc	AmeriCorps National	1	62	\$94,317	\$147,151	7
North Caldwell	Fairfield, NJ PLAN R02-2598-NJ-PLN-PLN (April 3 - May 22, 2017) FEMA- Region 2 Regional Office- New York, NY	AmeriCorps NCCC	1	7	-	-	-
Palmyra	Hunger Free America Hunger Free America	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	2	\$2,461	\$6,825	-
Paterson	Affilate Stewards Conservation Legacy	AmeriCorps Affiliate	-	-	-	-	1
Paterson	New Jersey Community Development Corp New Jersey Community Development Corporation	AmeriCorps State	7	32	\$162,060	\$391,120	23
Paterson	New Jersey Community Development Corporation New Jersey Community Development Corporation	AmeriCorps VISTA	2	11	\$63,645	\$181,607	10
Paterson	Public Allies New York Public Allies, Inc.	AmeriCorps National	-	-	-	-	1
Paterson	St. Paul's CDC-AmeriCorps Program St. Paul's Community Development Corp.	AmeriCorps State	9	29	\$98,068	\$233,156	11
Perth Amboy	Jewish Renaissance Medical Center Jewish Renaissance Medical Center	AmeriCorps VISTA	2	20	\$75,131	\$209,676	6
Perth Amboy	United We Stand Jewish Renaissance Foundation	AmeriCorps State	6	27	\$92,460	\$220,037	16
Phillipsburg	Northwest NJ Community Action Program Northwest NJ Community Action Program	AmeriCorps VISTA	4	4	\$23,140	\$66,087	4
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Pomona	New Jersey Campus Compact New Jersey Campus Compact	AmeriCorps VISTA	15	19	\$109,845	\$314,839	13
Ramblewood	Notre Dame AmeriCorps - Jesuit Volunteer Corps Notre Dame Mission Volunteers Program, Inc.	AmeriCorps National	1	1	\$5,775	\$9,674	-
Ramsey	NY-NJ Trail Conference The Corps Network	AmeriCorps National	1	20	\$40,043	\$5,113	-
River Edge	Habitat for Humanity International Habitat for Humanity International-2012	AmeriCorps VISTA	-	-	-	-	1
Roseland	KIND- Newark Equal Justice Works	AmeriCorps National	1	1	\$5,775	\$19,889	-
Roseland	Points of Light Citi ServiceWorks AmeriCorps Points of Light Foundation	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	5	\$28,955	\$82,212	-
Shark River Hills	Sea Bright Rising SBP	AmeriCorps National	1	12	\$59,288	\$130,915	14
Springdale	Association of Jewish Family & Children's Agencies Association of Jewish Family & Children's Agencies	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	1	\$5,775	\$16,654	-
Tinton Falls	Ocean, NJ PLAN R02-2572-NJ-PLN-PLN (April 3 - May 22, 2017) FEMA- Region 2 Regional Office- New York, NY	AmeriCorps NCCC	1	5	-	-	-
Tinton Falls	R02-2654-NJ-PAS-PAS American Red Cross Support - Ocean NJ (June 2 - July 28, 2017) FEMA - Region 2 W MD	AmeriCorps NCCC	1	5	-	-	-
Trenton	HomeFront (June 10 - August 11, 2017) HomeFront, Inc.	AmeriCorps NCCC	1	11	-	-	-
Trenton	Housing and Community Development Network of New Jersey Housing and Community Development Network of New Jersey	AmeriCorps VISTA	2	4	\$23,100	\$66,616	3
Trenton	NJ Bonner AmeriCorps Program The College of New Jersey	AmeriCorps State	11	70	\$141,990	\$337,382	42
Trenton	Watershed Ambassadors NJ Department of Environmental Protection	AmeriCorps State	19	20	\$115,540	\$260,000	17
Trenton	YouthBuild Trenton, NJ YouthBuild USA, Inc	AmeriCorps National	1	3	\$4,548	\$7,127	-
Westfield	Sustainable National and State Afterschool Programs & Networ Afterschool Alliance	·	1	2	\$11,550	\$33,308	-
AMERICORPS	TOTAL		244	1,215	\$4,103,002	\$7,426,420	844
Senior C	orps						
City	Project Name Sponsor Organization	Program Type	Service Co Locations Pa	ompleted articipants	Education Scholarships		Current Participants
Bridgeton	Cumberland County RSVP Cumberland County Board of Chosen Freeholders	RSVP	29	347	-	\$44,037	328
Bridgeton	Gateway CAP - Atlantic County Foster Grandparent Program Tri-County Community Action Agency, Inc.	Foster Grandparent Program	-	-	-	-	73



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Camden	Lourdes SCP Our Lady of Lourdes Health Foundation	Senior Companion Program	19	73	-	\$349,440	-
Camden	Our Lady of Lourdes FGP Our Lady of Lourdes Health Foundation	Foster Grandparent Program	38	192	-	\$869,868	-
Cape May Court House	RSVP of Cape May County Cape May Board of Chosen Freeholder	RSVP	17	231	-	\$55,023	223
Closter	Rockland County RSVP Rockland Community College	RSVP	1	11	-	-	11
Elizabeth	RSVP of Union County, NJ Jewish Family Service Agency of Central New Jersey	RSVP	7	155	-	\$80,879	150
Elizabeth	Union County Foster Grandparent Program Jefferson Park Ministries	Foster Grandparent Program	4	45	-	\$239,371	45
Englewood	RSVP at JFCS Jewish Family Service, Inc.	RSVP	1	188	-	\$69,393	188
Florham Park	Jewish Family Service of MetroWest New Jersey Jewish Family Service of MetroWest New Jersey	RSVP	38	400	-	\$143,944	226
Golden Triangle	Camden County RSVP Community Planning And Advocacy Council	RSVP	12	217	-	\$76,534	222
Long Branch	Monmouth County RSVP Family & Children's Service	RSVP	33	325	-	\$97,907	180
Margate City	Jewish Family Service of Atlantic and Cape May Counties Jewish Family Service of Atlantic County	RSVP	4	199	-	\$68,139	199
Milltown	RSVP Middlesex Jewish Family & Vocational Service of Middlesex County	RSVP	8	248	-	\$54,451	200
Mountain Lakes	RSVP of Morris, Sussex, Warren, Hunterdon & Passaic County Northwest NJ Community Action Program	RSVP	51	512	-	\$293,681	512
Newark	Foster Grandparent Program The Salvation Army	Foster Grandparent Program	15	-	-	-	60
Newark	Relay Teaching Residency Relay Graduate School of Education	AmeriCorps Fixed Amou Grant	nt 5	9	-	-	-
Newark	The Salvation Army Senior Companion Program The Salvation Army	Senior Companion Program	13	79	-	\$297,779	79
Pemberton Heights	Burlington County RSVP Rowan College at Burlington County	RSVP	-	-	-	-	151
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Somerville	Somerset County NJ RSVP Somerset County Board of Chosen Freeholders	RSVP	12	259	-	\$48,066	223
Toms River	RSVP of Ocean County Ocean County Board of Social Services	RSVP	19	266	-	\$59,063	209
Trenton	FGP New Jersey NJ Department of State Volunteerism	Foster Grandparent Program	45	150	-	\$763,001	140
Wenonah	Senior Corps/RSVP of Gloucester County Gloucester County College	RSVP	22	320	-	\$57,673	320
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City	Project Name Sponsor Organization	Program Type	Service Locations	Completed Participants	Education Scholarships	Federal (Funding I	Current Participants
Northfield	Egg Harbor Township Board of Education Youth Service America	Martin Luther King Day	-	-	-	\$1,000	-
Northfield	Egg Harbor Township School District Youth Service America	September 11th National Day of Service and Remembrance	l -	-	-	\$1,000	-
Northfield	Northfield Middle School Youth Service America	September 11th National Day of Service and Remembrance	l -	-	-	\$1,000	-
Pennington	Hopewell Valley Central High School Youth Service America	September 11th National Day of Service and Remembrance	l -	-	-	\$1,000	-
Trenton	New Jersey Commission on National Community Service	State Commission Investment Funds	-	-	-	\$110,095	-
Trenton	New Jersey Commission on National Community Service	State Commission Program Development Grants	-	-	-	\$46,298	-
White Horse	American Legion Auxiliary Unit 68 (NJ) American Legion Auxiliary National Headquarters	September 11th National Day of Service and Remembrance	l -	-	-	\$1,000	-
Yardville	New Jersey Commission on National Community Service	State Commission Operations Support	-	-	-	\$372,741	-
OTHER FUND			-	-	-	\$534,134	-
PROGRAM TO			667	5,685	\$4,103,002	\$11,692,566	4,583
TOTAL CNCS						\$	15,795,568
TOTAL LOCAL	PROJECT SUPPORT (Non-CNCS Resources)					\$	13,358,263
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